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For: SUBSTRATE BONDING APPARATUS FOR

MANUFACTURING LIQUID CRYSTAL

DISPLAY DEVICE

Examiner: Lisa M. Caputo

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 1, 2005, (Paper No. 06232005), Applicants hereby provisionally elect Group I (claims 1-20) for continued examination, without prejudice or disclaimer.

The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (202) 496-7500 to discuss steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance.

If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for any necessary extension of time, or any other fees required to complete the filing of this response, may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0911. Please credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 50-0911. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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